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exception of the Appropriations Committee which will meet all day. Easter Recess will begin Thursday, March 27, or immediately following adjournment on Wednesday and continue through Tuesday. This is the change now, April 1st. With the exception of the Appropriations Committee which will meet Tuesday on April 1st to complete its work. The Legislature, and this is important, if it passes will convene at 10:00 a.m. on Wednesday on April 2, instead of Tuesday as was previously thought of. So, I bring this out for your consideration and I think that Senator Marvel will want to make some kind of announcement on the reason for the no session on Friday.

PRESIDENT: Senator Syas, for what purpose do you rise?

SENATOR SYAS: To talk about that.

PRESIDENT: Alright, this is on the privilege of the House.

SENATOR SYAS: I oppose one part of this, and I don't know about the rest of it, but next Thursday is my committees, the committee that I happen to chair, which is a very capable committee. I am proud of them.

PRESIDENT: Hold it down, that is just way too much.

SENATOR SYAS: Any how, our last meeting is next Thursday and our regular hearing date is Friday also. If we work Friday in the Legislature I could hold an Executive Meeting at my usual time and probably and in an hour and a half or two hours clean the slate clean of back bills. But if Friday is taken away from my committee, my feeling is that dare knows when I will be able to do anything with these bills, because the following week we are on vacation Thursday and Friday. There goes both of my days again. So I will be about the middle of April before I can have an Executive meeting and then I would have to get excused, the committee would, from the Legislature in order to do it. If we work Friday, that half day which we normally do and let the Friday afternoon for Executive Meetings it would work out....I could get my committee, I think, we could clean up all of our work and be ready to go from then on. So, I would oppose the way that Senator Burbach has obviously set this up. He is taking a day away from any committee that is scheduled for Thursday and Friday. I don't know how the other Thursday and Friday committees feel about it but I think that he is caking a day away from us.

PRESIDENT: Senator Syas, in the absence of the Speaker the Chair is going to....so that we can get something before the Chair is going to rule that the Speaker's proposed agenda for next week holds unless over turned by the House. Would you care to make a motion? So we know what we are doing here. Wait till....we know what the Speaker wants to do, now lets find out what Senator Syas wants to do and then I'll recognize you Senator Savage.

SENATOR SYAS: (microphone not activated).

PRESIDENT: We may be here till noon on that. Senator Savage.

SENATOR SAVAGE: This would not preclude Senator Syas' committee from meeting on Thursday afternoon. That is the